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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR AGREEMENT - FORTIN

1. DURING CALL ON FONMIN ORLANDO LETELIER TODAY HE REQUESTED USG AGREEMENT FOR APPOINTMENT OF CARLOS FORTIN TO BE CHILEAN AMBASSADOR TO US. LETELIER OBSERVED THAT AT THIS POINT IN US- CHILEAN RELATIONS, GOC FELT IT WAS ESSENTIAL TO HAVE AN AMBASSADOR ACCREDITED AT WASHINGTON AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. CONSEQUENTLY, HE HOPED USG COULD GIVE REQUEST ITS MOST URGENT CONSIDERATION.

2. FOLLOWING IS TRANSLATION OF BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION HANDED TO ME BY LETELIER:

( A ) CARLOS FORTIN CABEZAS WAS BORN IN SANTIAGO APRIL 29, 1940. SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDIES IN LICEO J. V. LASTARRIA AND UNIVERSITY STUDIES IN SANTIAGO SCHOOL OF LAW AT UNIVERSITY OF CHILE, FROM WHICH HE GRADUATED IN 1961 HAVING RECEIVED THE P. N. MONTENEGRO PRIZE FOR BEST GRADUATE. IN 1963 HE WENT TO U. S. FOR POST- GRADUATE STUDIES. IN 1963-64 HE PARTICIPATED IN MASTER OF LAWS PROGRAM OF YALE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW, WORKING UNDER DIRECTORSHIP OF PROFESSOR MYRES S. MCDOUGAL. IN 1964 HE ENTERED DOCTORAL PROGRAM IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AT YALE UNIVERSITY, COMPLETING COURSE WORK IN 1966. IN THAT SAME YEAR HE RECEIVED M. A. IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND WAS TEACHING ASSISTANT IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AT YALE.

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( B) BEFORE RETURNING TO CHILE, HE MARRIED ADELAIDE G. JOHNSTON OF BROOKVILLE, MARYLAND. AT PRESENT TIME THEY HAVE TWO CHILDREN, MARIA ADELAIDA (5) AND CARLOS ARTURO (3) .

( C) UPON RETURNING TO CHILE IN 1966 HE WAS NAMED ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND DIRECTOR OF STUDIES OF LATIN AMERICAN SCHOOL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, A DEPENDENCY OF LATIN AMERICAN FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES ( FLACSO) AND OF INTERAMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK. IN 1968-69 HE RETURNED TO YALE FOR ONE SEMESTER, TO COMPLETE REQUIREMENTS FOR DOCTORAL CANDIDACY IN POLITICAL SCIENCE.

( D) IN 1969 HE WAS NAMED PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL THEORY IN UNIVERSITY OF CHILE, AND IN 1970 HE WAS DESIGNATED DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC LAW OF SCHOOL OF JURIDICAL SCIENCES OF UNIVERSITY OF CHILE. DURING THIS PERIOD HE ALSO TAUGHT COURSES IN SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS OF UNIVERSITY OF CHILE AND IN OAS INTERAMERICAN PROGRAM OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION ( BUENOS AIRES). ADDITIONALLY HE PARTICIPATED IN CONFERENCES OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION ( BRUSSELS 1967, RIO DE JANEIRO 1968, MANNHEIM 1971), OF AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION ( WASHINGTON 1969), AND OF LATIN AMERICAN INTEGRATION INSTITUTE ( BUENOS AIRES 1967).

( E) IN 1971 HE JOINED CHILEAN COPPER CORPORATION ( CODELCO) AND WAS DESIGNATED CHIEF OF ITS OPERATIONS IN WESTERN EUROPE, WITH HEADQUARTERS IN LONDON. IN THIS CAPACITY HE HAS BEEN PRESIDENT OF THE TWO ENGLISH SUBSIDIARIES OF CODELCO, CHILEAN COPPER LTD AND CHILEAN MINING SUPPLIES LTD. HE IS ALSO PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF CHILE ON EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL COUNCIL OF COPPER EXPORTING COUNTRIES ( CIPEC), OF WHICH HE WAS PRESIDENT IN 1971-72. IN MAY 1973 HE WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR COPPER PROMOTION, WITH HEADQUARTERS IN GENEVA, ORGANIZATION COMPOSED OF PRINCIPAL COPPER EXPORTERS IN WESTERN EUROPE.

( F) IN MAY THIS YEAR HE WAS INVITED BY AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION TO PRESENT A WORK ON NATIONALIZATION OF CHILEAN COPPER, IN ITS ANNUAL INSTITUTE. IN ADDITION HE HAS LECTURED ON INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS OF COPPER IN UNIVERSITIES OF CAMBRIDGE, OXFORD,  
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ESSEX, LIVERPOOL, SUSSEX AND LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS. AMONG HIS PUBLISHED WORKS ARE " THE POSSIBILITIES OF COMPARATIVE POLITICAL STUDIES IN LATIN AMERICA," IN H. J. PUHLE ( ED), PERSPECTIVES OF PROGRESS, BONN, F. EBERT STIFTUNG, 1969; AND " TOWARDS A TYPOLOGY OF LATIN AMERICAN POLITICAL SYSTEMS," IN JOURNAL OF POLITICS, SRINAGAR ( INDIA), 1970 ( IN COLLABORATION

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